Amendment to the Specification

Replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5 with the following paragraph.

Related subject matter is disclosed in the following applications filed
concurrently and assigned to the same assignee hereof: U.S. Patent No. 6,915,477
Application Serial No entitled, "DELAY SENSITIVE ADAPATIVE
QUALITY CONTROL LOOP FOR RATE ADAPTATION," inventors Sridhar
Gollamudi and Pantelis Monogioudis; and U.S. Patent Application Serial No.
10/033,338 entitled, "MULTI-CHANNEL ADAPATIVE QUALITY
CONTROL LOOP FOR RATE ADAPTATION IN DATA PACKET
COMMUNICATION," inventors Sridhar Gollamudi and Pantelis Monogioudis.